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Kenſington, Auguſt 20.

THIS Day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council aſſembled, waited on His Majeſty; and being introduced to His Majeſty by his Grace the Duke of Graſton, Lord Chamberlain of His Majeſty's Houſehold, Sir William Moreton, the Recorder, made their Compliments in the following Addreſs.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council aſſembled, humbly beg Leave to approach your Sacred Perſon, and with Hearts full of Gratitude for your Majeſty's Paternal Care of the true Intereſts of your People, to expreſs our Sorrow and Apprehenſions for the Diſquietudes which our late Loſſes and Diſappointments muſt create in your Majeſty's Royal Mind.

The Loſs of the Important Fortreſs of Saint Philip and Iſland of Minorca, (Poſſeſſions of the utmoſt Conſequence to the Commerce and Naval Strength of Great Britain) without any Attempt, by timely and effectual Succours, to prevent or defeat an Attack, after ſuch early Notice of the Enemy's Intentions, and when your Majeſty's Navy was ſo evidently Superior to theirs, will, we fear, be an indelible Reproach on the Honour of the Britiſh Nation.

Nor can we help expreſſing our Apprehenſions for the great Danger of your Majeſty's Poſſeſſions in America, by the Miſmanagements and Delays which have attended the Defence of thoſe invaluable Colonies, the Object of the preſent War, and the principal Source of the Wealth and Strength of theſe Kingdoms.

Permit us, at the ſame Time, Royal Sir, to lament the want of a conſtitutional and well regulated Militia, the moſt natural and certain Defence, under Divine Providence, of your Majeſty's Sacred Perſon and Government, againſt all Invaders whatſoever, as thereby your Majeſty's Fleets and Armies may be more ſecurely employed Abroad, to the Annoyance of your Majeſty's Enemies; your faithful and loyal Subjects being ready and willing, whenever called upon by your Majeſty, to ſhed the laſt Drop of their Blood in your Service.

As your Majeſty's Reign has ever been diſtinguiſhed by a Love of Liberty and Juſtice, we cannot doubt of your Majeſty's directing the Authors of our late Loſſes and Diſappointments, to be enquired into and puniſhed, that your Majeſty's known Intentions of protecting and defending your Subjects in their Rights and Poſſeſſions may be faithfully and vigorouſly carried into Execution, and that the large Supplies, ſo neceſſarily called for, and ſo chearfully granted, may be religiouſly applied to the Defence of theſe Kingdoms and Colonies, and their Commerce, and to the diſtreſſing our inveterate and perfidious Enemies, as the only ſure Means of obtaining a laſting and honourable Peace.

And we do, with the utmoſt Sincerity of Heart, aſſure your Majeſty, that your loyal City of London will, at all Times, readily and chearfully contribute to whatever may be neceſſary for the Defence of your Majeſty, and your Illuſtrious Family, and towards the Attainment of theſe great and deſirable Ends.

To which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to return this moſt gracious Anſwer.

I thank you for theſe Profeſſions of your Duty to me. My Concern for the Loſs of my Iſland of Minorca, is great and ſincere. My utmoſt Care and Vigilance have been and ſhall be exerted to maintain the Honour of the Nation, and the Commerce of my Subjects. The Events of War are uncertain; but nothing ſhall be wanting, on my Part, towards carrying it on with Vigour, in order to a ſafe and honourable Peace, and for recovering and ſecuring, by the Bleſſing of God, the Poſſeſſions and Rights of my Crown.

I will not fail to do Juſtice upon any Perſons who ſhall have been wanting in their Duty to me, and their Country; to enforce Obedience and Diſcipline in my Fleets and Armies, and to ſupport the Authority and Reſpect due to my Government.

They were received very graciouſly, and had the Honour to kiſs his Majeſty's Hand.

Petersbourg, July 20. The Empreſs is gone to paſs a few Days at Czarkazelo, where a grand Council was held Yeſterday, at which the Great Chancellor Count Beſtucheff aſſiſted. The young Prince Lubomirſki, who in the late Military Promotion was appointed Major General in the Service of this Empire, is arrived here from Poland, and has had the Honour of being preſented to her Imperial Majeſty and the Great Duke and Great Dutcheſs, and met with a gracious Reception.

Rome, July 24. On Monday laſt a private Conſiſtory was held in the Pope's Preſence, when ſeveral vacant Biſhopricks were filled up. Cardinal Mellini, who has the Charge of the Empreſs of Ruſſia's Affairs at this Court, is taken ſo dangerouſly ill, that his Phyſicians have but little Hopes of his Recovery. M. Boccarini is ſhortly expected here as Ambaſſador from Malta, in the Room of the Commander Solari.

Amſterdam, Aug. 11. We are informed by Letters from Malaga of the 20th of laſt Month, that one of our Men of War, named the Dolphin, had reached that Port with ſeveral Merchantmen

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chantmen under her Convoy, and would put to Sea for Holland with the firſt fair Wind.

Hague, Aug. 12. Meſſ. vander Goes and Burmania Rengers, who went ſome Time ago into the Diſtrict of the Meuſe, by Order of the Council of State, to regulate the Taxes and viſit the Magazines in that Diſtrict, are returned from thence, and have reported to the ſaid Council the Execution of the Commiſſion with which they were charged.

Whitehall, Auguſt 21.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint the following Perſons to be Officers in the Battalions to be forthwith raiſed, and added to the Regiments hereafter mentioned.

3d Regiment of Foot, or the Buffs, commanded by Colonel George Howard.

Shuckburgh Hewet, Eſq; Major.

Campbell Edmonſton,
Thomas Bunbury,
George Nicolſon,
William Stiel,
William Bulkeley,
Roger Crowle,
Malby Brabazon,
Anketel Singleton,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

Thomas Hardcaſtle, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

4th, or King's own Regiment of Foot, commanded by Colonel Alexander Durcure.

——— Temple,
George Kennedy,
James Campbell,
William Dalmahoy,
Jewit Cowart,
James Straton,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

——— Wallingford, Eſq; commonly called Lord Viſcount Wallingford, Captain.

Humphry Bland, Eſq; Captain.

Alexander Kennedy, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

8th, or King's own Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lieutenant General Edward Wolfe.

John Cook, Eſq; Major.

Charles Dundaſs,
John Blomer,
Joſeph Fiſh,
John Ellis,
Charles Hamilton,
Charles Gillman,
Henry Rogers,
William Wade,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

Henry Lee, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

11th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Major General Maurice Bocland.

Cholmondley Scott, Eſq; Major.

Alexander Leſlie,
John Sneyd,
Alexander Simmers,
David Dickſon,
Watſon Powell,
——— Wedderburn,
Benjamin Barber,
William Forde,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

Hugh Sempil, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

12th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lieutenant General Henry Skelton.

Corbet Parry, Eſq; Major.

John Suttie,
Teavil Appleton,
William Picton,
Lovegood Watſon,
Jeremiah Thompſon,
Hayward Stephens,
William Jenkins,
Charles Goulſtone,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

19th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Major General Lord George Beauclerck.

Rowland Phillips, Eſq; Major.

James Patterſon,
George Daniel,
Thomas Cuthbert,
John Gillan,
James Newton,
Anthony Sharpe,
Thomas Croſbie,
——— Johnſton,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

Hugh Sempill, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

20th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Colonel William Kingsley.

Robert Robinſon, Eſq; Major.

John Gordon,
Alexander Tennant,
Francis Gregor,
Charles Veaitch,
Godfrey Knuttall,
Edward Goodenough,
William Delaune,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

Paul Meyer, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

23d, or Royal Regiment of Welch Fuzileers, commanded by Lieutenant General John Huske.

Thomas Marlay, Eſq; Major.

William Rowley,
William Dundas,
John Fox,
Peter Hewitt,
Richard Lloyd,
Triſtram Revell,
Robert Ridley,
John Blaquiere,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

James Dunn, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

24th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Colonel Cornwallis.

William Preſton, Eſq; Major.

Richard Edwards,
Benjamin Bromhead,
Aaron Clayton,
Wm. Mompeſſon,
Peter Boileau,
James Boſtock,
Geo. Mont. Martin.
James Macrae,
Thomas Pook,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

Richard Vaughan, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

31ſt Regiment of Foot, commanded by Major General Holmes.

James Vignoles, Eſq; Major.

Patrick M'Dowall,
Thomas Dunbar,
Daniel Hamilton,
George Grant,
Tichbourn Grueber,
Hector Monroe,
William Nesbit,
Thomas Northey,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

Caleb Woods, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

32d Regiment of Foot, commanded by Colonel Francis Leighton.

William M'Dowall, Eſq; Major.

Robert Rogers,
Charles Roſs,
Theodore Deſvories,
——— Boiſragon,
Patrick Blake,
Chriſtopher Creſwell Paine,
James Durnford,
James Douglas,
} Eſqrs. Captains.

James Stuart, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

33*d Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lord Charles Hay.*

Peter Daulhat, Eſq; Major.
Alexander Monypenny,
Danzie Collins,
William Morris,
John Pollock,
Neviſon Pool,
Percival Purcell,
Robert Owen,
Robert Gordon, } Eſqrs. Captains.
Charles Harvey, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

34*th Regiment of Foot, commanded by the Earl of Effingham.*

Hezekiah Fleming, Eſq; Major.
William Stracey,
James Hamilton,
John White,
——— Courtney,
James Hamilton,
John Barber,
Robert Wilkie,
Samuel Exley,
Boardman Bromhead,
George Warren, } Eſqrs. Captains.
Charles Long, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

36*th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lord Robert Manners.*

William Maſters, Eſq; Major.
Charles Webb,
Robert Burdet,
George Skeyne,
William Wade,
Henry Vaughan,
John Forbes,
John Wilkie,
Michael Fleming,
Blachford Stronge, } Eſqrs. Captains.
Richard Taylor, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

37*th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Major General James Stuart.*

John Brown, Eſq; Major.
Henry Græme,
Robert Parkhurſt,
Maurice Kane, } Eſqrs. Captains.
Lord Viſcount Allen, Captain.
Francis Aleſieu,
John Gifford Craven,
Thomas Adams,
Thomas Buck,
John Watſon, } Eſqrs. Captains.
Francis Hutchinſon, Eſq; Captain Lieutenant.

This is to give Notice, That the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury have been pleaſed to appoint Money to pay all the Arrears due to the Penſioners belonging to the Cheſt at Chatham, to Lady-day 1756. *And that the ſaid Pay will begin on Monday the* 13*th of September* 1756. *at the Cheſt-Room in His Majeſty's Dock-yard at Chatham.*

London Aſſurance Houſe, Auguſt 18, 1756.

The Court of Directors of the London Aſſurance Corporation give Notice, that their Transfer-Books will be ſhut on Thurſday the 16*th of September next, and that a General Court of the ſaid Corporation will be held at their Houſe in Birchin-Lane, on Wedneſday the* 6*th of October next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to conſider of a Dividend; and that the Transfer-Books will be opened again on Tueſday the* 12*th of October aforeſaid.*

Auguſt 21, 1756.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, that the Transfer Books for Bank Stock will be ſhut from Friday the 17*th of September next, 'till Thurſday the* 21*ſt of October following.* Robert Lewin, *Secretary.*

Aſſurance Office, Serjeants Inn, Fleet-ſtreet, Aug. 21, 1756.

The Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Aſſurance Office, do hereby give Notice, That at Old Midſummer-day laſt, there were in Arrear five Quarterly Payments due to the ſaid Society, on each of the ſeveral Policies number'd as follows, viz.

Numbers, 32, 151, 153, 203, 204, 214, 223, 278, 279, 402, 408, 409, 477, 629, 768, 935, 1008, 1168, 1272, 1442, 1512, 1570, 1610, 1686, 1747, 1787, 1970.

On each of which ſeveral Policies, there is due to the ſaid Society for the ſaid Five Quarterly Payments, the Sum of Six Pounds Seventeen Shillings; and that unleſs the ſeveral Perſons entituled to the ſaid Policies, number'd as above, do pay off their Arrears within three Calendar Months from the Date hereof, ſuch Defaulters, their Nominees, and their reſpective Executors, Adminiſtrators, and Aſſigns, will, by Vertue of the ſupplemental Charter of the ſaid Society, ſtand abſolutely excluded. John Pye, *Regiſter.*

London, Auguſt 17, 1756.

The Governors and Aſſiſtants of the Corporations of the City of London, of and for the Mines Royal and of and for the Mineral and Battery Works, give Notice, that a General Court will be held at their Houſe in Buſh Lane, Cannon-ſtreet, on Wedneſday next, the 25*th Inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on ſpecial Affairs.* Wm. Walter, *Secretary.*

Trinity-Houſe, London, Auguſt 20, 1756.

Notice is hereby given, that a Veſſel is moored Weſt by North about three Miles diſtance from the Edyſtone Rock, in Thirty-five Fathom Water, with the Bearings by a Common Compaſs as undermentioned, viz.

Edyſtone and the Praul in one,
Ram Head, North Eaſt half North,
Wembury Church, North Eaſt by Eaſt,
Deadman, Weſt North Weſt.

And that the Light on Board the ſaid Veſſel was exhibited in the Night between the 14*th and* 15*th Inſtant, and the Duties payable thereto will commence accordingly.*

In the Preſs, and ſpeedily will be publiſhed.

Dedicated to His Royal Highneſs the Duke of CUMBERLAND.

The CADET,

A MILITARY TREATISE.

By an OFFICER.

IN my Paſſage from Surinam to Barbadoes, in July 1755, my Ship's Carpenter, William Blair, was ſeized with a violent Fever, attended with Purging and Vomiting; he ſoon grew delirious; I gave him a whole Paper of Dr. James's Fever-Powder, (which is ſold at Mr. Newbery's in St. Paul's Church Yard.) It purged, vomited, and ſweat him very much; in ſix Hours after I gave him another Doſe, which entirely removed the Diſorder. William Kemp, an old Sailor, 60 Years of Age, was ſeized in the ſame Manner, and had the ſame bad Symptoms, but upon taking one Paper of the Powder, which operated much in the Manner above mentioned, he recovered.

London, Jan. 26, 1756. James Lundin, *Captain of the* Africa.

N. B. As Surinam is much ſubject to this Sort of Fever, the Engliſh and Dutch Merchants who Trade thither, would do well to furniſh their Correſpondents with this Powder, for by its Means many Lives would undoubtedly be ſaved.

WHEREAS Benjamin Votier the Younger, late of Grundiſburgh in the County of Suffolk, a common Soldier in ſome of the Regiments on the Iriſh Eſtabliſhment, was intended to have embarked from Ireland with Sir Peter Halkett's Regiment for Virginia, in Quality of a Corporal, in January 1755, and after ſtrict Inquiry no Account can be had of him ſince; This is to inform him (if living) that by applying to the Rev. Mr. Sherringham at Switland, or Mr. James Barnham, Attorney, at Bungay in Suffolk, or to Mr. William Capſtack, in Clifford's Inn, London, he may hear of ſomething greatly to his Advantage. If dead, any Perſon making Proof thereof to the ſaid Mr. Sherringham, Mr. Barnham, or Mr. Capſtack, ſhall be handſomely rewarded.

By